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## House of Representatives

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. FITZPATRICK).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
September 2, 2011.

I hereby appoint the Honorable MIKE FITZPATRICK to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### PRAYER

Reverend Patrick Riffle, St. Peter's Catholic Church, Washington, DC, offered the following prayer:

God our Father, You guide everything in wisdom and love. "You are good and forgiving, full of love to all who call upon You" (Psalm 86:5). We now praise You for that love and rejoice in Your abundant blessings. You call us today to grow in the knowledge of that love and invite us to receive Your blessings.

Accept the prayers we offer for our Nation, protect it and keep it ever in Your sight. Fill this House of Representatives with Your holy wisdom. Strengthen these Representatives and their staffs as they labor for what is good and just. May true harmony and justice be secured for all and may there be lasting prospering and peace.

We ask this in Your most holy name. Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5 of House Resolution 375, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4 of House Resolution 375, no legislative business will be conducted on this day.

### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to sections 3 and 4 of House Resolution 375, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2011.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 6, 2011, at 10 a.m.

### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2884. A letter from the Secretary to the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Removing Any Reference to or Reliance on Credit Ratings in Commission Regulations; Proposing Alternatives to the Use of Credit Ratings (RIN: 3038-AD11) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2885. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Process for Review of Swaps for Mandatory Clearing (RIN: 3038-AD00) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2886. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's "Major" final rule — Swap Data Repositories: Registration Standards, Duties, and Core Principles (RIN: 3038-AD20) received August 24, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2887. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's "Major" final rule — Final Rules for Implementing the Whistleblower Provisions of Section 23 of the Commodity Exchange Act (RIN: 3038-AD04) received August 24, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2888. A letter from the Secretary, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Provisions Common to Registered Entities (RIN: 3038-AD07) received August 3, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2889. A letter from the Regulatory Analyst, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Export Inspection and Weighting Waiver for High Quality Specialty Grain Transported in Containers (RIN: 0580-AB18) received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2890. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] July 19, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2891. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] [Internal Agency Docket No.: FEMA-B-1201] received August 1, 2011, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2892. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket ID: FEMA-2011-0002] [Internal Agency Docket

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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